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**ROSE HILL**  
**NURSERY**

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FALL 1909  
SPRING 1910

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Choice Trees, Plants, Vines,  
Shrubs, Etc.

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Mrs. JENNIE B. BENNETT, Owner.

S. DANIELS, Manager.

Scotland, Indiana

*Formerly W.C. Bennett Deceased  
Proprietor*





THANKFUL to our friends and patrons for past favors, we have the pleasure to announce that the ROSE HILL NURSESY is still actively engaged in business and solicit a share of your trade the coming season.

We have nothing to say against any other nursery, but claim for ourselves to be doing as clean, straight and honorable business as any nursery in the State of Indiana and will have a choice lot of Apple, Peach, Pear, Plum and Cherry, for the fall of 1909 and spring of 1910, of our own growing, and solicit the patronage of all our old customers and as many new ones as contemplate planting the coming season and guarantee satisfaction.

The State Entomologist's certificate will accompany each shipment.

ROSE HILL NURSERY,

Scotland, Indiana.

S. DANIELS, Mgr.

MRS. J. B. BENNETT, Owner.

# FRUIT DEPARTMENT

## APPLES

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1,000
Three years, 5 to 7 ft .....	20	\$2 00	\$16 00	\$150 00
Two years, 4 to 6 ft.....	15	1 60	13 00	120 00
Two years, 3 to 5 ft.....	12	1 25	10 00	90 00

### Leading Varieties.

#### SUMMER

Benoni  
Chenango Strawberry  
Duchess of Oldenburg  
Early Harvest  
Early Strawberry  
Early Colton  
Golden Sweet  
Horse  
Red June  
Red Astrachan  
Summer Queen  
Sops of Wine  
Sweet June  
Striped June  
Starr  
Sweet Bough  
Tetofsky  
Western Beauty  
Yellow Transparent

#### FALL

Autumn Strawberry  
Brynum Sweet  
Fall Pippin  
Fall Queen  
Fall Wine  
Florys' Beliflower  
Green Sweet  
Haas  
Maiden's Blush  
Nashville Mammoth  
Parlin's Beauty  
Pound Sweet  
Princess Royal  
Rocky Mountain Pippin  
Rambo  
Twen'y Ounce  
Wealthy

#### WINTTR

American Golden Russet Milam  
Brinnegar Sweet  
Ben Davis  
Baldwin  
Big Romanite  
Black Detroit  
Bailey Sweet  
Babbit  
Clayton  
Canada Red  
Delaware Red  
Deminie or Winter Rambo  
Fallwater  
Grimes Golden  
Gilpin or Small Red Romanite  
Gano  
Green Pippin  
Colden Pippin  
Hoop  
Hubbardston Nonsuch  
Huntsman  
Indian Apple  
Isham's Sweet  
Indiana Favorite  
Jersey Black  
Jones  
Jonathan  
Jacob's Sweet  
King of Tompkins Co.  
Kinnard's Choice  
Lankford  
Lawver  
Lord Nelson  
Loy  
Lansingburg  
Limber Twig  
Mosier Sweet  
Mann  
Missouri Pippin  
Newtown Pippin  
Northern Spy  
N. W. Greening  
Nickajack  
Pewaukee  
Peter  
Paradise Winter Sweet  
Pryor's Red  
Rome Beauty  
Rawley's Genet  
Rhode Island Greening  
Stark  
Shackleford  
Shannon Pippin  
Smith's Cider  
Seek No Further  
Talman Sweet  
Vandevere Pippin  
Winesap  
White Bellflower  
White Pippin  
White Winter Pearmain  
Wolf River  
Wallbridge  
Willow Twig  
Winter Green  
Winter Golden Sweet  
Wagener  
Yellow Bellflower  
York Imperial



## Long Keeping Varieties

We are making a business of securing the longest keeping varieties known, and now offer the following varieties, with the positive assurance that they are without doubt excellent keepers and are worthy of cultivation by all.

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1. 00
Three years, 5 to 7 ft. nice and fine....	25	\$2 50	\$18 00	\$ 70 00
Two years, 4 to 6 ft., first class.....	20	2 00	15 00	140 00
Two years, 3 to 5 ft., first class.....	15	1 50	12 00	1 0 00

VARIETIES—Hyde's King, Chronicle, Salome, Aikin's Red, Walker's Beauty, McLaughlin's Keeper, Arkansas Black, Mammoth Black Twig or Paragon (also called Improved Winesap), Summit, Grindstone, Springdale, Geiger.

## New Varieties

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100
Three years, 5 to 7 ft., nice and fine.....	30	\$3 00	\$22 00
Two years, 4 to 6 ft., first class.....	25	2 50	18 00
Two years, 3 to 5 ft., first class.....	20	2 00	14 00

VARIETIES—Winter Maiden's Blush, Arkansas Beauty, Monstrous Pippin, Winter Banana, American Blush, Coffelt, Ingram, Givens, Bismark, Stayman's Winesap, Patten Greening, Black Warrior, Iowa Blush, Black Annette, Warrior.

## CRAB APPLE

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100
Three years, 5 to 7 ft.....	40	\$4 00	\$35 00
Two years, 4 to 6 ft.....	30	3 00	25 00
Two years, 3 to 5 ft.....	20	2 00	15 00

VARIETIES—Hyslop, Transcendent, Hugh's Crab (excellent for cider), Whitney, No. 20, Martha, Florence.

## PEARS

### Standard

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100
5 to 7 ft. ....	50	\$5 00	\$4 00
4 to 5 ft. ....	40	4 00	30 00

SUMMER VARIETIES—Barlett, Clapp's Favorite, Tyson, Doyenne, LeConte, Lawson, Souvenir du Congress, Wilder.

AUTUMN VARIETIES—Beurre d' Anjou, Flemish Beauty, Howell, Sheldon, Seckel, Duchess de Angonleme, Garber, Kiefer's Hybrid, Idaho.

WINTER VARIETIES—Lawrence, Mt. Veron, Duchess de Bordeaux, Vicar of Wakefield, President Drouard.

### Special Varieties

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100
5 to 6 ft. ....	\$1 00	\$10 00	\$75 00
4 to 5 ft. ....	75	8 00	60 00

VARIETIES—Vermont Beauty, Koonce, Lincoln Coreless, Arnold's Winter, Henry.

### Dwarf Pears

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100
3 to 4 ft. ....	40	\$3 50	\$25 00

LEADING VARIETIES—Louise Bonned' Jersey, Tyson, Beurre d' Anjou, Barlett, Flemish Beauty, Duchess. Seckel, Clapp's Favorite, Howell, Buffum, Kiefer's Hybrid.

## CHERRIES

### Leading Varieties

	Each	Per Doz.
Two years, 4 to 5 ft. ....	60	\$6 00
One year, 3 to 4 ft. ....	50	5 00



SWEET—Governor Wood, Early Purple Gagine, Belle de Choisy, Yellow Spanish, Black Eagle, Black Heart, Black Tartarian, Windsor, Napoleon, Bigarreau, White Caroon, Knight's Early Black, Schmidt's Bigarreau, Ida, Louis Philippe.

DUKE AND MORELLOS—Early May or Richmond, May Duke, English Morello, Baldwin.

Empress Eugene, Montmorency, Dye House, Leib, Osheim, Wragg, Silver Thorn.

## PLUMS

### Leading Varieties

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100
4 to 6 ft .....	50	\$5 00	\$40 00

Shropshire Damson, German Prune, Lombard, Miner, Wild Goose, Weaver, Imperial Gage, Green Gage, Bradshaw, Forest Rose, Robinson, Prunus Simonia, Kelsey's Japan, Prunus-Pissardi, Abundance, Shipper's Pride, Satsuma, Moore's Artic, Botan, Spaulding, Burbank, Beauty of Naples, Ogon.

### Special Varieties.

	Each	Per Doz	Per 100
4 to 6 ft .....	75	\$8 00	\$60 00

Niagara, Willard, Lincoln, Milton, Red June, Wickson, America, Chalco, Apple.

## PEACHES

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1,000
4 to 6 ft .....	20	\$2 00	\$16 00	\$150 00
3 to 4 ft., one year .....	15	1 60	13 00	120 00
2 to 3 ft., one year .....	10	1 20	10 00	80 00

EARLY—Amsden, Alexander, Waterloo, Bower's

Early, Mountain Rose, Troth, Shumaker, Early Rivers, Elberta, Arkansas Traveler, Champion, Triumph, Sneed, Greensboro, Connett's Early.

MEDIUM—Early Crawford, Foster, Conkling, O. M. Cling, O. M. Free, Wheatland, Wager, Chinese Cling, Crosby, New Prolific, Sallie Worrell.

LATE—Late Crawford, Stump, Heath Cling, Heath Free, October Beauty, Newington Cling, Stealthy, Globe, Picquett's Late, Henrietta Cling, Lemon Cling, Wonderful, Fourteen Ounce Cling, Ringgold's Mammoth Cling, Miller's Cling, Blood Cling, Blood Free.

### Special Varieties

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1,000
4 to 6 ft .....	50	\$5 00	\$35 00	\$300 00
3 to 4 ft .....	40	4 00	30 00	250 00
2 to 3 ft .....	30	3 00	25 00	200 00

Holderbaum, Summer Snow Cling, Bokara No. 3. Starr.

### QUINCES

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100
3 to 4 ft .....	50	\$5 00	\$40 00

VARIETIES—Champion, Orange, Angers.

### Special Varieties

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100
3 to 4 ft .....	75	\$8 00	\$50 00

Borgeat, Missouri, Mammoth, Meach's Prolific.

### RHUBARB

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100
Linneau's Victoria .....	25	\$2 00	\$15 00



## ASPARAGUS

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100
Coover's Colossal.....	5	50	\$2 00
Palmetto Barr's Mammoth.....	5	50	3 00
Columbian .....	5	50	4 00

## GRAPES

The prices given below are for two-year vines, but if one-year vines only are wanted, a discount of 20 per cent. will be made from these rates on all varieties.

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100
Aawan.....	20	\$2 00	\$15 00
August Giant .....	50	5 00	35 00
Amber Queen.....	40	4 00	25 00
Brighton .....	15	1 50	10 00
Clinton.....	15	1 50	10 00
Catawaba .....	20	2 00	15 00
Champion.....	20	2 00	15 00
Concord .....	10	1 00	8 00
Colerain .....	50	5 00	40 00
Campbell's Early .....	50	5 00	40 00
Delaware.....	20	2 00	15 00
Duchess .....	25	2 50	20 00
Early Victor .....	25	2 50	20 00
Elvira.....	25	2 50	20 00
Eaton.....	50	5 00	40 00
Early Ohio.....	50	5 00	40 00
Empire State .....	40	4 00	25 00
Green Mountain.....	50	5 00	40 00
Hartford .....	15	1 50	10 00
Isabella .....	20	2 00	15 00
Ives' Seedling .....	15	1 50	10 00
Janesville .....	20	2 00	15 00
Jefferson .....	25	2 50	20 00
Jessica .....	25	2 50	20 00
Lady Washington.....	25	2 50	20 00
Lindley .....	20	2 00	15 00
Martha .....	20	2 00	15 00
Moore's Diamond .....	40	4 00	25 00
Moyer .....	40	4 00	25 00
Moore's Early.....	25	2 50	20 00
Niagara .....	25	2 50	20 00
Notton's .....	20	2 00	15 00
Pocklington.....	25	2 50	20 00
Prentiss .....	25	2 50	20 00

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Salem.....	25	2 50	20 00
Vergennes.....	40	4 0	25 00
Worden.....	20	2 00	15 00
Wyoming R d.....	40	4 00	25 00
Woodruff Red.....	50	5 00	40 00

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## BERRIES

### Raspberries

Black—	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1,000
Conrath.....	10	\$ 50	\$2 50	\$20 00
Cumberland.....	15	1 00	4 00	35 00
Earhart, everbearing.....	15	1 00	6 00	50 00
Eureka.....	10	50	2 50	20 00
Gregg.....	5	40	1 75	15 00
Johnson Sweet.....	10	40	2 00	15 00
Kansas.....	10	40	2 00	15 00
Munger.....	10	50	3 00	20 00
Nemaha.....	10	40	2 00	18 00
Ohio.....	10	40	2 00	15 00
Palmer.....	10	40	2 00	15 00
Souhegan.....	10	40	2 00	15 00
Red—				
Brandywine.....	10	40	2 00	15 00
Cuthbert.....	10	40	2 00	15 00
Columbia.....	15	75	4 00	30 00
Golden Queen.....	10	50	2 50	20 00
Golden Mayberry.....	20	2 00		
Hansell.....	10	40	2 00	15 00
London.....	15	75	4 00	30 00
Marlboro.....	10	40	2 00	15 00
Miller's Red.....	10	40	2 00	15 00
Royal Church.....	15	75	4 00	30 00
Shaffer's Colossal.....	10	50	2 50	20 00
Turner.....	10	40	2 00	15 00

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### Blackberries

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1,000
Agawam.....	10	\$ 50	\$2 50	\$20 00
Ancient Briton.....	10	50	2 50	20 00
Early Harvest.....	10	50	2 00	15 00
Erie.....	10	60	3 00	20 00
Eldorado.....	10	60	4 00	30 00
Kittatinny.....	10	50	2 50	20 00
Lucretia.....	10	50	2 00	15 00
Minnewaski.....	10	75	4 00	30 00
Ohmer.....	10	75	4 00	30 00
Oregon Evergreen.....	25	2 00	15 00	125 00
Rathburn.....	25	2 00	15 00	125 00



Snyder .....	10	50	2 00	15 00
Stone's Hardy .....	10	50	2 00	15 00
Taylor's Prolific .....	10	50	2 00	15 00
Wachusett's Thornless (not entirely thornless) .....	10	75	4 00	30 00

## Strawberries

All varieties marked (p) are pistillate (flowers without stamens) imperfect in blossom, and need at least every fourth row to be planted with some perfect or staminate sort which find marked (s) to select from.

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100	Per 1,000
Buba k, p .....	5	40	\$1 50	\$10 00
Cumberland, s .....	5	40	1 50	10 00
Crescent, p .....	5	40	1 50	10 00
Clyde, s .....	5	40	1 50	10 00
Glen Mary, s .....	10	60	2 50	15 00
Grandy, s .....	5	40	1 50	10 00
Greenville, p .....	5	40	1 50	15 00
Haverland, p .....	5	40	1 50	10 00
Jessie, s .....	5	40	1 50	10 00
Lovett, s .....	5	40	1 50	10 00
Michael's Early .....	5	40	1 50	10 00
Marie, s .....	10	60	2 50	20 00
Parker's Early .....	5	40	1 50	10 00
Sharpless, s .....	5	40	1 50	10 00
Sunshine, p .....	10	50	2 00	15 00
Uncle Jim, s .....	10	60	2 50	20 00
Wilson, p .....	5	40	1 50	10 00
Warfield, p .....	5	40	1 50	10 00
Wm. Belt, s .....	10	60	4 00	30 00

## Currants

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100
Cherry .....	15	\$1 00	\$10 00
Crandall, black .....	25	2 50	20 00
Fay's Prolific .....	15	1 50	10 00
La Versalle .....	15	1 50	10 00
North Star .....	25	2 50	20 00
Lee's Prolific, black .....	15	1 50	10 00
Pomona .....	25	2 00	15 00
White Grape .....	15	1 50	10 00

## Gooseberries

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100
Smith's Improved, Houghton's Seedling and Downing .....	20	\$2 00	\$12 00

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Industry .....	25	2 50	15 00
Red Jacket .....	40	4 00	20 00

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## Mulberries

	Each	Per Doz.
New American .....	60	\$6 00
Downing .....	60	6 00

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## Miscellaneous

	Each	Per Doz.
Highland Bush or Upland Cramberry .....	50	\$4 00
Dwarf Juneberry .....	20	3 00
The Japanese Wineberry .....	25	2 00
Buffalo Berry, 2 to 3 ft .....	50	5 00
The Logan Berry .....	40	4 00
Pæonia .....	30	3 00
Eleagnus Longides .....	50	5 00

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## TREES

### Nut Bearing

	Each	Per Doz.	Per 100
American Sweet Chestnut, 3 to 4 ft .....	40	\$4 00	\$25 00
Ridgley Chestnut .....	1 00	10 00	
Paragon Chestnut .....	1 00	10 00	
Japan Walnut, 2 to 3 ft .....	75	8 00	50 00
Hard-Shelled Almond .....	75	8 00	50 00
Filbert, English .....	50	4 00	25 00

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## Flowering Shrubs and Trees

	Each	Per Doz.
White Spirea.—Van Houtte .....	75	\$8 00
Crimson Spirea—Anthony Waterer .....	75	8 00
Blue Spirea—Caryopteris Mastacanthus .....	75	8 00
Hyderangea—Panicula Grandiflora .....	60	6 00
Hyderangea—Thomas Hogg .....	60	6 00
Weigelia Rosea .....	50	5 00
White Fringe .....	50	5 00
Purple-leaved Barberry .....	50	5 00
Purple Fringe .....	50	5 00
Snow Ball .....	40	4 00
Pyrus Japonica .....	40	4 00
Lilac, red, white and purple .....	40	4 00
Lobburnum .....	40	4 00
Clove Bush .....	30	3 00
Hydrangea .....	75	6 00
Althea, double—red, white and purple .....	75	6 00



Althea—variegated .....	75	6 00
Calv hantaus or Sweet Scented Schrub .....	50	4 00
Deutzia Creata .....	50	4 00
Variegated Leaved Weigella .....	60	6 00
Red Flowering Cornell .....	1 00	
Bechtel's Double Flowering Crab, 3 to 4 ft .....	1 00	
Japan Snow Ball .....	1 00	
Flowering Almond .....	50	4 00

## Evergreens

(Evergreens should always be planted in the spring.)

	Each	Per Doz	Per 100
American Arbor Vitæ, 2 to 2½ ft .....	50	\$5 00	\$35 00
Balsam Fir, 2 to 2½ ft .....	60	6 00	40 00
Norway Spruce, 2 to 2½ ft .....	60	6 00	40 00
White Pine, 2 to 2½ ft .....	60	6 00	40 00
Black and Austrian Pine, 2 to 2½ ft .....	60	6 00	40 00
Scotch Pine, 2 to 2½ ft .....	60	6 00	40 00
Hemlock or Weeping Spruce, 2 to 2½ ft .....	60	6 00	40 00
White Spruce, 2 to 2½ ft .....	60	6 00	40 00
Tree, box, 12 to 15 inches .....	60	6 00	40 00
Siberian Arbor Vitæ, 1 to 1½ ft .....	75	6 50	50 00
Irish Juniper, 1 to 1½ ft .....	75	6 50	50 00
Golden Arbor Vitæ 1 to 1½ ft .....	1 00	10 00	
Colorado Blue Spruce .....	1 00	10 00	

## Ornamental and Shade Trees

	Each	Per Doz
Japanese Catalpa 6 to 8 ft .....	50	\$ 5 00
Carolina Poplar, 10 to 12 ft .....	50	5 00
Golden Bark Willow .....	50	5 00
White Ash, 6 to 8 ft .....	75	5 00
Silver Leaf Maple, 6 to 8 ft .....	40	4 00
Mountain Ash, 5 to 6 ft .....	50	5 00
Maiden Hair Tree .....	1 00	8 00
Magnolia, 4 to 6 ft .....	1 00	8 00
Wier's Cut Leaf Maple .....	1 00	8 00
White Leaf Linden .....	1 00	8 00
European Larch .....	1 00	8 00
Sycamore Maple, 6 to 8 ft .....	1 00	8 00
Purple Leaf Maple, 6 to 8 ft .....	1 00	8 00
Pyramidal Oak, 6 to 8 ft .....	1 50	8 00
Norway Maple, 6 to 8 ft .....	1 00	8 00
Hard Maple or Sugar, 8 to 10 ft .....	1 00	10 00
Horse Chestnut, 6 to 8 ft .....	1 00	8 00

## Weeping Trees

	Each	Per Doz.
Wisconsin Weeping Willow .....	75	\$ 6 00

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Kilmarnock Willow.....	50	5 00
Camperdown Elm.....	1 00	8 00
Golden Bark Weeping Ash.....	1 60	8 00
Weeping Mountain Ash.....	1 00	8 00
Cut Leaved Weeping Birch.....	1 25	8 00
Teas' Weeping Mulberry.....	1 50	12 00

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### Hedge Plants

	Per 100	Per 1000
California Privet.....	\$ 8 00	\$
Black Locust, 18 to 24 inches.....		10 00
Catalpa, 18 to 24 inches.....		10 00

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### VINES AND CREEPERS

	Each	Per Doz.
Honeysuckles—Scarlet Trumpet.....	25	\$ 2 00
Honeysuckles—Hallean.....	25	2 00
Honeysuckles—Monthly Fragrant.....	25	2 00
Honeysuckles—Chinese Evergreen.....	25	2 00
Cinnamon Vine.....	25	2 00
Moon Flower.....	25	2 00
Ampelopsis Veitchii.....	40	3 00
Clematis, the Gem, blue.....	50	4 00
Clematis Flammula, white.....	50	4 00
Clematis Coccinea, scarlet.....	75	6 00
Clematis Jackmanii, purple.....	1 00	10 00
Clematis Panicula, white.....	40	4 00
Clematis Crisp, blue.....	60	6 00

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### ROSES

Our Roses are all hardy, out-door plants (except where noted) grown in open ground in nursery row. A little protection of straw is an advantage in winter, as they bloom sooner in the spring.

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### Hybrid Perpetual Roses

	Each	Per Doz.
Alfred Colomb.....	50	\$5 00
Coquette des Alps.....	50	5 00
Gen. Jacqueminot.....	50	5 00
Giant of Battles.....	50	5 00
Louis Van Houtte.....	50	5 00
Madam Charles Wood.....	50	5 00



Madam Planter—cemetery rose.....	50	5 00
Madam Welch .. .. .	50	5 00
Marshall P. Vilder... ..	50	5 00
Queen of Bedders.....	50	5 20
Paul New Ron.....	50	5 00
Baby Rambler .. .. .	50	

### Climbing Roses

	Each	Per Doz.
Baltimore Bell.....	40	\$4 00
Seven Sisters.. .. .	40	4 00
Queen of Prairie.. .. .	40	4 00
Crimson Rambler.....	60	6 00
Yellow Rambler.. .. .	60	6 00
White Rambler.....	60	6 00
Pink Rambler .. .. .	60	6 00
Empress of China.....	60	6 00



## DESCRIPTIVE

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### APPLES

MAMMOTH BLACK TWIG OR PARAGON (also called Improved Winesap)—The world is just beginning to find out what a prize it has in this wonderful apple. In 1893, the year of the great apple failure, "It bore perfect fruit in abundance when all others were nearly a failure." A Tennessee seedling—The original tree, over fifty years old, is still vigorous and bearing, though broken by storms. Thought to be a cross between Winesap and Red Limber Twig; combines the good qualities of both. Excels Winesap in almost every important point; a better and much stronger grower, hardier, and the fruit much larger, often measuring twelve inches in circumference; color or even darker red, flesh firmer, flavor milder, but fully equal. Remarkably heavy and a long keeper. W. G. Vincenheeler, Ark. Com. of Agriculture and Pres. Ark. Hort. Society, writes: "In high favor here. An excellent bearer and begins to bear two years after planted. Each year convinces me more and more of its value. Somewhat like winesap, but much larger, darker; very fine table fruit. Remarkable keeper. Hangs its fruit well." The Mammoth Black Twig was the finest apple exhibited at the Buffalo Exposition, and was admired by thousands.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN PIPPIN—It would be difficult, we think, to find a better fall apple than the Rocky Mountain Pippin. The fruit is large, red and covered with small minute dots or specks, and is very attractive in appearance. In quality it is excellent, and is also highly perfumed, making it altogether an apple, we think, that will please the taste of anyone who is a lover of



this kind of fruit. The tree is hardy and is a good grower, and also a good bearer, and we think will give satisfaction to all who are so fortunate as to plant this variety.

GEIGER—This apple was brought to this state in 1837, by Mr. Geiger, and is supposed to be a seedling. It keeps fresh and sound until the 20th of July. In quality it cannot be beat by any apple at any season of the year. The tree is as hardy as the wild crab, bears every year, and never stops, drops or rots. If you want an apple that is better than any apple in your neighborhood, we advise you to plant the Geiger. A great many apples lose their flavor when spring comes, but not so with the Geiger, as it retains its rich flavor in the spring when a great many varieties of apples have become almost tasteless, making it an apple unsurpassed for home use on account of its fine flavor and excellent keeping qualities.

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## PEARS

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HENRY—Grown from French pear seed, planted in the spring of 1871, by Henry C. Henry, of Effingham County, Ill. Commenced bearing in 1877 or 1878. Has never shown any sign of leaf or twig blight. It is a regular and abundant bearer, and in quality has no superior, if an equal among the good keeping winter pears. Resembles Barlett very much in size, shape and flavor. Is a good keeper, a rich yellow in color, and without a peer in quality among the winter pears. A good grower in nursery.

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## PEACHES

MILLER'S CLING—Originated in Holmes County, Ohio. Tree a vigorous grower, healthy and hardy,

standing several degrees more frost than most of the other kinds. Productive, does not overbear, brings every fruit to perfection, and sets enough to produce a full crop. Fruit is large, perfect in form and color; one of the most beautiful; flesh golden yellow, very sweet; pits never burst. Will keep two weeks in an ordinary room with no sign of rot or decay. It can be shipped to Europe in good condition. We think no peach yet introduced of anything like handsome appearance or good quality of Miller's Cling, can compare with it in keeping qualities. The best shipping peach, and we think, will prove one of the most profitable market varieties. Middle of September.

STARR—This seedling was found in an old orchard on the Buchanan farm in St. Louis. It attracted much deserved attention on account of its extremely large size, handsome appearance and late ripening, when all others were gone. Bore a full crop, selling at highest prices in the St. Louis market. Color rich yellow, with brilliant red cheek; perfect freestone; juicest of rich juice. Ripens about first of October, and can be kept a long time. Quality the very best. Blooms late, thus escaping the early spring frosts. We consider it the most valuable acquisition to our list of peaches and worthy of extensive planting.

HOLDERBAUM—The introducers of this new peach, after calling it the "Giant of the Alleghanies," make the following claims: "On account of the peculiar style of blossom it is not affected by the heavy spring frosts like other varieties." They also claim it to be of iron-clad hardness. They give the following description of the fruit: "The size of the natural fruit is immense, many specimens measuring from twelve to fourteen inches in circumference. In color it is of a light creamy yellow with a beautiful red cheek on the sunny side.

In texture it is very firm, of fine quality and a perfect freestone. The pit is very small and the flesh light yellow, streaked with red from the surface to the center and of the most exquisite flavor."

**SUMMER SNOW CLING**—One of the best perches for canning. Far more delicious than Heath Cling, and ripens a month earlier; of special value along the northern borders of the peach belt—a snowy white cling, clear white to the pit.

### **CHERRY**

**BALDWIN**—Large, round, slightly sub-acid, sweetest and richest of the Morello type. A fine upright grower, remarkable for earliness, hardiness and productiveness. Ripens in June.

### **RASPBERRIES**

**KANSAS**—Strong, vigorous grower, standing extremes of drouth and cold, and bearing immense crops. Early, ripening just after Palmer. Berries size of Gregg, of better quality; jet black and almost free from bloom; firm, of best quality; presents a handsome appearance, and brings highest prices in market. Every planter who wants a prolific, hardy, early berry of immense size handsome appearance and superb quality, should plant it.

**CUMBERLAND**—The largest black Raspberry known, has been well tested in nearly all sections the past season, giving thorough satisfaction. In hardiness and productiveness it is unexcelled by any other variety. In size the fruit is simply enormous, far surpassing any other sort. The berries run seven-eighths and fifteen-sixteenths of an inch in diameter, and are of such a handsome appearance that their fruit sold for 10c per quart when other varieties were selling for 5c to 7c per quart. The quality is very similar and fully equal to



Gregg. In spite of its unusually large size, the fruit is possessed of great firmness and is thus well adapted for standing long shipments. It follows Palmer and Souhegan and precedes Gregg a short time, making it a mid-season variety. The bush is exceedingly healthy and vigorous, throwing up stout stocky canes, well adapted for supporting their load of large fruit. Large growers report yields of two or three times as much per acre as Ohio, under same conditions, and far ahead of all other varieties.

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## QUINCES

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MISSOURI MAMMOTH—The largest and best quince grown. Very hardy and productive; fruit of large size, often weighing twenty to twenty-four ounces. A rich golden yellow, ripening just ahead of the orange, but keeps well. Flesh fine and exceedingly tender, cooking as nicely as an apple, and with an exceedingly mild, pleasant flavor. Brings highest prices in the market.

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## SPIREAS

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VAN HOUTE—The grandest of all the spireas; it is a beautiful ornament for the lawn at any season, but when in flower it is a complete fountain of white bloom, the foliage hardly showing. Clusters of twenty to thirty flat, white florets make up the raceme, and these clusters are set close along the drooping stems. Perfectly hardy and an early bloomer.

NEW CRIMSON SPIREA, ANTHONY WATERER—This beautiful, new crimson-flowered spirea was introduced a few years ago, and previous to its introduction, Mr. Goldring, of the famous Kew Gardens, said: "It is one of those exceptional novelties that occur only at rare intervals, adding in a conspicuous way to the rich and varied flora of our gardens."

It outshines all the spireas in brilliancy of color—a bright crimson. It is a rare gem.” It makes a low compact bush fifteen to eighteen inches high, and is covered nearly the whole growing season with large umbels of deep crimson flowers, which measures nearly a foot across.

When scarcely three inches high it begins to bloom and thereafter is seldom out of flower. As a pot plant for growing in the open ground nothing can equal it. Perfectly hardy; it is unquestionably one of the really meritorious plants that we cannot have too many of.

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### CLEMATIS PANICULTA

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JAPANESE VIRGIN'S BOWER--One of the most beautiful of our hardy flowering vines. The flowers are pure white; and are borne in large panicles or clusters of bloom, fairly covering the plant, so that it is a mass or sheet of fleecy white. The clusters are borne on long, slender stems, which stand out boldly from between the glossy green leaves, and the gentlest breeze causes wavy crests of white to flow gently over the surface. The fragrance is delicious, resembling the English Hawthorne blossoms. It is a strong rapid grower, quickly reaching a height of from fifteen to twenty feet, and spreading out when trained to wires or strings. It is perfectly hardy in all sections of the country, and we can unhesitatingly say that it is, in our opinion, the most valuable among hardy climbing vines.







